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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)  
Application Number 10/726,795 Filed 12/02/2003  
For FLEXIBLE WRIST FOR SURGICAL TOOL  
Art Unit 3731  
Docket Number 17516- 9610

This a request under the provision of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The applicant hereby requests a ONE month extension.

If additional time is required please consider this to be a request for an additional extension.

The Applicant claims small entity status.

The director is authorized to charge any fees which may be required or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number: 503404.

The requested six month extension and fee - \$60



Frank Nguyen  
Registration Number:39790

06/19/06  
Date

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE:

IS FACSMILE TRANSMITTED TO THE US: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, at 571-273-8300 ON THE DATE SHOWN BELOW.

ON 6/21/06 BY   
Anne Wilcock